

THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

IN LATE DISPATCHES

DOINGS AND HAPPENINGS THAT MARK THE PROGRESS OF THE AGE.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

ABOUT THE WAR

Paris claims fresh gain near Fleury, in the Verdun sector.

Russians bombarded towns close to Lemberg, setting Halicz, sixty miles distant, afire.

Russians continue to drive Turks from strong mountain positions near Ognott, in Armenia.

Russians advance in sector west and southwest of Lutsk and north of Zborow, in Galicia.

Germans surrender to British the city of Dar-es-Salaam, chief seaport of German East Africa.

French offensive south of Somme results in capture of portions of Berny and Vermandovillers.

British and French, in Somme region, capture four towns from Germans and take more than 5,000 prisoners.

Rumanians, after forty-eight-hour battle with Austrians, force enemy to abandon important Hungarian city of Orsova.

The Albanian front reports further advances by the Italian troops, although Berlin claims the recapture of recently lost positions.

Russians push back center of the Austrian army commanded by Archduke Charles in Galicia and have captured 4,500 prisoners. Berlin admits the reverse.

The French captured some more German trenches on the Somme front east of Denicourt. Germans unable to make counter attacks because of the intensity of the French artillery fire.

That another Zeppelin airship was badly damaged in the raid on the English southeastern counties in addition to the one destroyed was indicated in an official statement given out at London by the government press bureau.

Lloyd's shipping agency reported that the following British steamships had been sunk: Duart, 3,105 tons, unarmed; Strathallan, 4,404 tons, unarmed; Kelynia, 2,140 tons, unarmed, crew and passengers saved; Mascotte, 1,097 tons, of Leith.

German and Bulgarian troops have captured the Rumanian stronghold of Turtakal, with 20,000 prisoners and 160 guns. Both armies lost heavily in the battle for possession of the fortress. Vienna admits retirement on both the Russian and Rumanian fronts under pressure.

WESTERN

Richard C. Kerens of St. Louis, former ambassador to Austria, died at the home of his daughter in Philadelphia.

Primary election returns indicate United States Senator LaFollette has been nominated for United States Senator in Wisconsin over M. G. Jeffris.

Funeral services for the late John P. St. John, former governor of Kansas and nationally known as an advocate of prohibition, were held at Olathe, Kan.

Formal negotiations have been resumed between the Southwestern railroad and the representatives of 25,000 shop employees for increased wages and the eight-hour day.

The bulk of the fortune of Patrick A. Valentine, former vice president of Armour & Co., who died at his summer home in Oconomowoc on Aug. 21, was left to his only son, Patrick A. Valentine.

Edward Lyndon, one of the builders of the Baby Marold, which burned after making a new world record in the hydroplane speed boat race, was drowned at Detroit, Mich., after a gas explosion in the wreck of the boat.

The Rev. Charles F. Aked, who resigned the pastorate of the First Congregational church at San Francisco to accept an appointment as delegate with the Ford peace party, was refused reinstatement by his former congregation.

WASHINGTON

The President has nominated H. H. Given to be postmaster at Gillette, Wyo.

The 15,000 guardsmen returned from the border by the recent order of the War Department were ordered out of the federal service. The guardsmen remaining on the border stay there for the present.

Sweeping and drastic demands are revealed in the secret terms being pressed on China by Japan. Private dispatches reveal that Japan seeks indemnities, an apology and political concessions.

To the proposal of the entente allies that neutrals accept the principle that all submarines are vessels of war the United States has dispatched a reply which, it is understood, holds to the principle that the characteristics of each individual submarine must govern the case.

FOREIGN

Parliament confirmed the compromise cabinet, as proposed by Premier Tuan Chi-Jui.

Berlin admits the claims of allied successes in the Somme region over eighteen-mile front.

At Cairo, Egypt, the ministry of agriculture reports the average condition of cotton at 96 per cent.

Official figures on Yukon territory's first vote on prohibition give the "wets" a majority of only three votes for the entire territory.

Baron Von Dem Bussche-Haddenhausen, the German minister to Rumania, left Bucharest for Berlin by way of Russia under a Russian safe conduct.

King George awarded the Victoria cross to Lieutenant Robinson, who brought down the Zeppelin in the raid on London, the war office announced in London.

Veritable street battles in which thus far three persons have been wounded are accompanying the arrest by Anglo-French secret police of alleged Teutonic agents in Greece.

According to a dispatch from Vienna, an order has been published in the Austrian capital introducing the third "meatless day." Mutton, however, may be eaten on this day.

The bodies of the eighteen Zeppelin sailors burned to death when their airship was brought down in the recent raid were buried three miles from Cuffley, England, but not with military observances. The church of England burial service was used.

The news reached Berlin that a widow at Stettin, Germany, was sentenced to eighteen months in prison at hard labor because she fell in love with a Russian prisoner of war.

Her daughter, Olga, 19, also was sentenced to six months at hard labor for merely flirting with a Russian prisoner.

Alexander S. Ribot, the French minister of finance, asked the chamber of deputies for appropriations for the last quarter of 1916 amounting to 8,347,000,000 francs, or about 500,000,000 more francs than was asked for the present quarter. The total appropriations asked by the French government since August, 1914, will amount to 61,000,000,000 francs, roughly, or about \$12,000,000,000.

SPORTING NEWS

Standing of Western League Clubs.

CLUBS—Winnipeg, 81; 45; 549; Omaha, 77; 45; 549; Lincoln, 77; 45; 549; Sioux City, 77; 45; 549; Des Moines, 77; 45; 549; Topeka, 77; 45; 549; St. Joseph, 77; 45; 549; Wichita, 77; 45; 549.

At Cedar Point, Ohio, Johnny Kilbane retained his title of featherweight champion by knocking out Chaney in the third round.

Duke Kahanamoku equaled his own world record for 100 yards at Honolulu, winning the national swimming championship for the distance in 54.15 seconds.

The accident at the Welsh-White fight at Colorado Springs Labor day, when a section of the outdoor arena collapsed, injuring 200 men and women, resulted in the cancellation of plans to purchase the Wichita baseball franchise in the Western league.

Freddie Welsh retained his title of champion lightweight pugilist of the world at Colorado Springs after going the full scheduled twenty rounds with Charlie White of Chicago. Referee Billy Roche of New York awarded Welsh the decision on points.

At London Solly Joel refused \$250,000 which has been offered for his famous race horse, Pommern, by a prominent foreign buyer. This is an advance of \$50,000 over the present record price ever paid for a stallion—\$200,000 having bought Prince Pala the Kan.

Nine thousand attended the first day of the Roundup at Idaho Falls, Idaho, establishing a record for the celebration. In the two-mile professional cowboy relay race Allan Drumheller of Walla, Walla, Wash., broke his own world's record by three-fourths of a second. His time was 3:50.4.

GENERAL

A blanket test case of the Adamson eight-hour law is planned.

Mrs. Henry White, 62, wife of the former ambassador to France and Italy died at Lenox, Mass.

A bronze statue of Lafayette, presented to the city of Fall River by the Calumet Club was unveiled at Fall River, Mass., after a parade in which thousands of citizens participated.

The most phenomenal drop ever recorded in one day on the sugar market occurred when beet sugar dropped from \$7.50 a hundred pounds to \$6.75, and cane sugar dropped from \$7.50 to \$7.15.

Telegraphers employed by the Northern Pacific railroad were awarded increases in pay, shorter hours and other working advantages in the settlement at St. Paul of their demands on the road, thus averting a threatened strike.

E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe railway, declared in a formal statement that the Santa Fe does not intend to comply with the Adamson eight-hour law, recently enacted by Congress to avert a threatened railroad strike, until ordered to do so by the United States Supreme Court.

The Presbyterians have collected nearly one-half of the \$10,000,000 fund for aged and disabled ministers and their dependents, the total having reached \$4,000,000, it was announced at Philadelphia.

WESTERN MINING AND OIL NEWS

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Metal Market Prices.

Spelter, Denver \$ 9.23
Copper, casting 26.37 1/2
Lead, New York 6.55
Bar silver 66 1/2
Boulder, Colo.—Tungsten concentrates, 60 per cent, \$18 to \$23 per unit.
Crude ores—Sixty per cent, \$15 to \$20; 25 per cent, \$9.40 to \$10.00; 10 per cent, \$7.50 to \$9.00 per unit.

Arizona.

One pound of ore from the Oatman district yielded \$9 in gold.

The unwatering of the shaft of the Arkansas & Arizona, at Jerome, is about completed.

Encouraging word comes from the Green Monster. Ore is being cut in the Cliff tunnel.

Reports from the Mayer section are to the effect that mines and mills are pushing work successfully.

Work is to be started in a short time on the Paragon group, lying between the Lazy Boy and Esperanza at Oatman.

Various rumors have had it that the United Eastern magnates, who recently purchased control of the Sunnyside company, have also acquired the Oatman Queen.

The Lexington-Arizona seems destined to be the next real mine of Oatman. At a vertical depth of 110 feet and 126 in an incline shaft, it has opened thirty inches of ore that averages \$12.50 a ton.

At Oatman the United Eastern is completing an ore bin at No. 2 shaft and is still engaged in other preparatory work in connection with handling the mine output there when the bore shall have reached the 665-foot level.

Colorado.

The Colorado Alumite Mining company has been incorporated at Pueblo.

The new plant of the Continental Oil Company at Cripple Creek has been completed.

A twenty-five ton mill employing the oil flotation process will be erected at the Logan mine near Crisman.

A report from Ouray states that at a meeting of Ouray and Delta capitalists it was decided to reopen the Ouray smelter.

The Black Cloud mill at Salina has been purchased by C. A. Newell and J. G. Blake of Denver and will be rebuilt into an oil flotation plant.

In the Lake City district a 50-ton capacity mill for small or individual mine holders, who are taking on activity in production in and about the district, is being built.

From Silverton it is reported that one of the richest lead-silver discoveries ever reported in the county was recently made in the Queen City claim at the head of Ohio gulch.

C. A. Roessler of Mancos received assay returns from a sample of ore from the Florence W mine which he sent to Durango to be tested. The assay certificate showed a value of \$120.

Operations are to be resumed on the Little Daisy, a Bull hill property located on the eastern slope of that hill, in section 21, due east of the dumps at the mill of the Isabella Mines company.

Directors of the Cresson Consolidated Gold Mining and Milling company voted a regular dividend of 10 cents a share per month. This will make dividend payments of \$122,000 a month.

At Cripple Creek the weekly production from the main shaft of the Modoc Mining and Milling company, in the saddle between Battle mountain and Bull hill, is now holding at three cars, or about 100 tons.

The most important discovery of ore made in the Leadville district since the early '80s has been made in the Valley addit in Prospect mountain. At a depth of 150 feet below the adit level, an immense body of oxidized iron, containing good values in silver and manganese, has been opened. The ore is identical with that found in the first contact of Carbonate, Fryer and Breese hills.

Wyoming.

W. A. Pierce of Chicago has secured oil leases on several thousand acres of land eight miles west of Meeteetse, and expects to begin drilling at once.

Excitement at Rawlins, concerning the new Lost Soldier oil field continues unabated and the striking of a third well has caused another sharp advance in selling values.

Drilling on the Pease tract, east of Basin, has been started by Scott Mills.

The Wyoming Oil and Coal company, capitalized at \$500,000, filed articles of incorporation for the purpose of engaging in the oil and coal development of Fremont county, with offices at Riverton.

The Norbeck-Nicholson company is installing a rig on Old Woman creek in the Lusk section, and will put down a well for oil. The rig is capable of going down 2,000 feet.

TRAIN DERAILED BY STALLED MOTOR TRUCK



RESULT OF A COLLISION BETWEEN A PASSENGER TRAIN AND A MOTOR TRUCK.

It is not often that a motor car wrecks a train, but such was the result of a recent collision on the Boston & Maine railroad at West Peabody, Mass. A heavy truck became stalled on the tracks near a blind curve presumably a moment before a passenger train rumbled down upon it, cutting it in two and killing its driver. One section of the vehicle buckled under the pilot of the locomotive and was bumped along the track for approximately 100 feet. It then became wedged beneath the engine, causing the latter and its tender to double up, plunge from the rails, and drag three coaches with them. Practically nothing remained of the motor truck except splintered wood and smashed and twisted metal parts. The locomotive was badly damaged and some of the passengers slightly injured. Traffic was delayed for several hours.

FOR MOVING TROOPS IS FALSE ECONOMY

Auto Beats Railroad in Transportation of Soldiers on Border.

TESTS ARE MOST SEVERE

Long Lines of Communication Maintained Without Use of Railroads.—Problem is Studied at the War College.

Another meeting was held at the War College in Washington to discuss plans for mobilization of troops and supplies in time of war, particularly so far as civilian organizations are concerned, and the following account of it was prepared by the Society of Automobile Engineers: Major Palmer E. Pierce of the General Staff Corps, presided at the meeting. Lieut. Colonel Chauncey B. Baker being present to represent the Quartermaster general's office. Representatives of the Naval Consulting Board, the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, the Society of Automobile Engineers, and the American Automobile Association committees were in attendance.

Information is being collected as to just how many government departments need a large motor-truck equipment in order that suitable specifications can be developed for each type of truck required.

It is agreed that the tests to which trucks have been subjected on or near the Mexican border are the most severe that have been had in any part of the world. The conditions of service have been abnormal in that the lines of communication have been maintained without the use of railroads. The performance of some of the trucks has been wonderfully good, but there is room for further beneficial specification in various respects. The necessary engineering study is now being made, many of the Society of Automobile Engineers members going to the Mexican border to view at first hand the unusual conditions of weather, sandy grit, and alkali encountered.

The development of suitable tractor types of motor vehicles will also be given attention.

Regulations are being prepared for use in the organization of officers and enlisted men of the Reserve Corps recently authorized by act of congress. There will be a mobilization of the reserve organizations of a fortnight's duration each year. Reserve Corps officers will be appointed in sufficient number to make possible the assembly of troops at local points and transporting them to strategic points.

Ex-President Wilson of the American Automobile Association announced that over 90 per cent of the millions of American pleasure-car owners would very willingly and quickly tender the use of their vehicles under any suitable plan of mobilization. This will make possible immediate transportation preparedness, which would be wanted in case of emergency. It is stated reliably that in many districts large bodies of troops can be mobilized by motor cars before the railroads operating in the respective districts can get sufficient cars ready to transport them. Demonstrations, which have been made repeatedly, show that troops can be moved by automobile faster than by train.

Suitable types of armored cars for use by the Ordnance Department, as well as types meeting the needs of the engineers, the signal and the artillery corps, will be developed.

Locating Trouble.

A simple method of locating a wrist pin knock is by short circuiting each spark plug in turn, noting the sound of the engine when each plug is shorted. When the knocking sound lessens you have located the cylinder with loose wrist pin.

ARIZONA STATE NEWS

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DATES FOR COMING EVENTS.

Oct. 3-6—Meeting New Mexico Bankers' Association at Grand Canyon.
Oct. 12-13—Northern Arizona Fair at Prescott.
Oct. 27-29—Southern Arizona Fair at Tucson.
Nov. 13-18—Arizona State Fair at Phoenix.

Two cars of beans were seized at Flagstaff by a U. S. marshal.

The incline shaft of the Jerome-Oatman has reached a depth of 400 feet.

"The Pine Heights" is the name selected for Flagstaff's new \$200,000 hotel.

The strike of the union miners of the Tennessee mine at Kingman has been settled.

Adolph Aronson, a farm hand, died while at work on the Conner ranch northeast of Phoenix.

A business lot in Patagonia which sold for \$300 a couple of months ago is now held for \$600.

Three Cochise county alleged bootleggers forfeited \$500 bonds each and the county is \$1,500 richer.

"Dutch May" Prescott and her husband were found dead in a blood-drenched room in Flagstaff.

All National Guard organizations composed of college students will be mustered out of the Federal service.

As a result of two automobile accidents at Phoenix, one Mexican child was killed and three others seriously injured.

Indications are multiplying rapidly that are convincing of the contentment of National Guardsmen along the Mexican border.

Deputy Sheriff Tom Hunter, of Mohave county, has notified the bootleggers at Mazoma and Oatman to retire from the business.

A much mooted point was settled when it was decided that the Arizona National Guardsmen would be given an opportunity to vote this fall.

"I had to do it," was the only explanation that John Nogle vouchsafed since he cut the throat of his friend, William Sneed, in their room in Clarkdale.

The Knights of Columbus will establish a club house in Douglas for the benefit of Catholic members of the regular army and the national guards.

The dates of the Southern Arizona fair have been changed on account of conflict with another fair and the exhibition will now be held October 27, 28 and 29.

Hundreds of Bisbee people availed themselves of the privilege of viewing the magnificent silver service presented to the battleship Arizona by citizens of the state.

Advices from Bisbee are that W. S. Fountain was found dead in his bed in his room at Bisbee, having committed suicide by blowing out his brains with a revolver.

Various circumstances cause the people of the Jerome district to feel that the United Verde Extension Company is rapidly maturing its plans for the erection of a smelter.

Sampler and smelter returns indicate the reclamation of 3,500,000 pounds of copper from the United Verde Extension (Little Daisy), ore during the month of August.

That Arizona is at the present time experiencing an unprecedented era of general prosperity along the lines of industry is the opinion of Judge Henry D. Ross of the State Supreme Court.

Antonio Samaniego, a Mexican owner and chauffeur of a Douglas Hvery automobile, was shot and killed by Alfredo Guanamesa, a passenger whom he was taking to Fronteras.

General Frederick Funston announced that he had ordered the entire Arizona National Guard to concentrate at Fort Huachuca, west of Bisbee to give them adequate practice.

A Globe justice of the peace, Hinson Thomas, believes he holds the Pacific Coast record for marriages. He has been in office about twelve years, in that time uniting 1,427 couples.

The biggest mining deal closed in the Jerome district in many weeks was completed when the Green Monster Mining Company took up the option covering its patented claims, the amount involved totalling \$107,000.

The board of directors of the Two Peaks Mining Company met at Turner and took up the option on six adjoining claims which they were considering and purchased eight more, making a total of thirty-eight claims in the entire group.

Prominent mining and metallurgical circles have for almost half a century participated in the work of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, which on the 18th of September will open a week's session in the various mining fields of Arizona.

Letters patent No. 1,194,351 have been issued to D. H. Burtis, of Phoenix, for a new irrigating device, a sectional ditch lining of concrete, so devised and constructed as to be a perfect carrier of water from a lateral across a field for delivery to the various lands.

ELDERLY WOMEN SAFEGUARDED

Tell Others How They Were Carried Safely Through Change of Life.

Durand, Wis.—"I am the mother of fourteen children and I owe my life to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. When I was 45 and had the Change of Life, a friend recommended it and it gave me such relief from my bad feelings that I took several bottles. I am now well and healthy and recommend your Compound to other ladies."

—Mrs. MARY RIDGWAY, Durand, Wis.

A Massachusetts Woman Writes: "Blackstone, Mass.—"My troubles were from my age, and I felt awfully sick for three years. I had hot flashes often and frequently suffered from pains. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now am well."

—Mrs. PIERRE COURNOYER, Box 239, Blackstone, Mass.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dizziness, palpitation of the heart, spots before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness, should be heeded by middle-aged women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has carried many women safely through this crisis.

Restful.

"That hired man of yours is a very picturesque figure," remarked the artist. "I'd like to paint him."

"Go ez fur ez you like," replied the farmer, "but it seems to me I've heard somewhere that they ain't much of any market for still life pictures."

Red Cross Bag Blue, much better, goes farther than liquid blue. Get from any grocer. Adv.

ROLE WAS FORCED ON DADDY

Really Had No Desire to Act as Father to the Girl, but He Had Been Forewarned.

The downers and chaperons whispered their surprise that so young and so pretty a girl should have devoted herself the whole evening to a man so much her senior. True he danced well enough and was known as a man of many millions. Still they had never thought Meta mercenary.

Half way through the evening the couple disappeared onto a balcony. The girl sat down and the man stood gazing down at her. Without the slightest warning he asked her to be his wife. He was a widower, as she knew, "I wanted to please you," she said, "but did not expect this."

"It is the unexpected that happens," he said with a smile.

"I'm sorry," she said, "and I'm glad at the same time. I have been trying to make you like me."

"Why?"

"I like you so much, as a father—"

"Thanks," he interrupted; "I'm not decrepit yet."

"Of course not. But I came here solely to meet and be introduced to you. Why? Because last night I married your son."

Nothing More.

"Your wife must be very solicitous about you."

"Why do you say that?"

"She writes every day."

"She's solicitous about the canary."

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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